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In re Application of )

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AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
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Dear Sir:

In the matter of the above-identified application for United States Letters Patent and in response to the Office Action mailed February 25, 2003, kindly enter the following amendments and consider the following remarks relative to consideration of the present application.